

Trip Plan

Start of Brisbane to Gladstone Yacht Race

Apr 19 2019

Pirate Park, Scarborough

Trip Leader:	Mark Hessling	
Trip Leader Qualification:	<input type="checkbox"/> 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> (Sea Guide) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Instructor)	
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Contact Requirements:	Participants must register their interest prior to the event, and provide the Trip Leader with a contact number.	
Register by:	Apr 18 2019	
Date of trip:	Apr 19 2019	
Grade of Trip:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 3	
Event Environment:	<input type="checkbox"/> Dam <input type="checkbox"/> Lake <input type="checkbox"/> Creek <input type="checkbox"/> River <input type="checkbox"/> Estuary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bay <input type="checkbox"/> Ocean <input type="checkbox"/> Surf	
Brief Description of Activities:	<p>QSKC follows the Australian Canoeing Minimal Environmental Impact Practices Guideline. Refer to Club Policies on the QSKC website for further details.</p> <p>Viewing the start of the Brisbane to Gladstone yacht race from a sea kayak puts us in a great position close to the start line to watch the start of one of the most popular yacht races on the yacht racing calendar.</p> <p>Leaving from Pirate Park we will paddle south to Sutton's Beach where will land and partake in the Redcliffe Sails Festival. At approx. 10:30 we paddle north to the yacht race turning buoys and raft up as the yachts sail by. Once the majority of the yachts have passed we paddle back to the launch site</p>	
Meeting Time:	07:30	
Meeting Place:	Pirate Park, Scarborough (UBD Map 82 B11)	
Departure Time:	08:00	
Duration:	5 hours	
Distance:	Approx 10km	
Tide Information:	Brisbane Bar: High 2.42m @ 09:22 – Redcliffe tides are the same as Brisbane Bar	
Suggested Equipment:	<p>Required equipment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> As per Grade 1 Trip in Club Gradings Policy Sea Kayak with deck lines, enclosed cockpit and spray skirt Covered Shoes 	<p>Recommended equipment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimum 2L drinking water Sun protective clothing and sunscreen Food for duration of trip
	<p>Paddlers Requirements</p> <p><i>New members of QSKC are required to attend an AC Basic Skills Award day prior to their first paddle, or hold equivalent AC qualifications.</i></p> <p>For paddlers who can do an assisted rescue and be confident with their side bracing. Must be comfortable sitting in their kayak for extended periods. Paddlers should have an appropriate level of fitness. Individuals must self assess their, and their equipment's, ability to participate in this level club event and should consult the trip leader if any aspect of their suitability requires clarification.</p>	



Alternate course and take out points:	Multiple take-out points along the Redcliffe foreshore.			
Identified hazards:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> drowning	<input type="checkbox"/> hypothermia	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> dehydration/hyperthermia	<input type="checkbox"/> surf
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> equipment failure	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> weather change	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> stingers & bites	<input type="checkbox"/> capsize at sea
	<input type="checkbox"/> exhaustion & fear	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> group spread	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> sea sickness	<input type="checkbox"/> separation at sea
	<input type="checkbox"/> crocodiles	<input type="checkbox"/> shipping lanes	<input type="checkbox"/> rocks & gauntlets	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> boat traffic
	<input type="checkbox"/> fatigue	<input type="checkbox"/> sea caves	<input type="checkbox"/> land fauna	<input type="checkbox"/> rough seas
	<input type="checkbox"/> marine life	<input type="checkbox"/> medical conditions	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> sunburn	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> paddle related injuries
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
QSKC Risk Management Policy	I have consulted the QSKC Risk Management Policy with regards to the management of the hazards identified above: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Tick box)			
Emergency Rescue Contact:	VMR Redcliffe, Phone: (07) 3203 5522, VMR403, Frequencies VHF 16, 67, and 73			
Communication:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mobile	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> VHF Radio	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> whistle	
Safety equipment:	<input type="checkbox"/> EPIRB/PLB	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> signal mirror	<input type="checkbox"/> flares	<input type="checkbox"/> torch/glow stick
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> spare paddle	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> tow line	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> repair kit	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> first aid kit
Check of other paddlers equipment:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> suitability of craft	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> spray skirt	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Life Jacket (L50)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> paddle leash
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> bailing device	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> medication	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> water	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> footwear
Map:	<p>Final details of exact location of race start will be made available once QCYC publish race start details. (Map shows 2014 race start location)</p> 			